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Mr. Douglas Lee  
Lee Mining Corp.  
861 South 725 West  
Orem, Utah 84058

Dear Mr. Lee:

This is in response to your request to operate a precious metal recovery plant from mine tailings near Eureka, Utah. The waste generated from processing of ores and minerals is currently exempt from the Utah Hazardous Waste Management Regulations (UHWMR) as described in 1.1.10 UHWMR. This exemption is only temporary until such time as the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency or the Utah Solid and Hazardous Waste Committee promulgates regulations with respect to such waste. The exemption applies to the wastes which are uniquely produced by mining operations. All other wastes must be managed according to UHWMR and sent to an approved facility for disposal. State and local health departments regulations must be followed for the disposal of solid wastes.

If you have any further questions, please contact Mr. Muhammad Slam at the above number.

Sincerely,

*Dale D. Parker*

Dale D. Parker, Ph.D.  
Executive Secretary  
Utah Solid and Hazardous Wastes  
Committee

cc: Bruce Hall, Central Utah District Health Dept.

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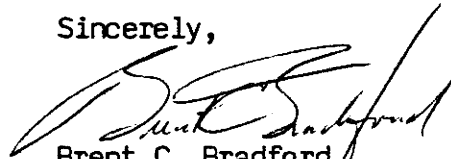
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All comments received during the 30-day period and from any hearing held will be considered by the Executive Secretary before an approval is issued. You may not proceed with any of the proposed construction of the air pollution sources or control facilities until you have received an approval from the Executive Secretary. No PSD permit is required for this source.

The Bureau of Air Quality is authorized to charge a filing fee and be reimbursed for the actual costs incurred in reviewing your proposed project and issuing an approval order. The costs will be itemized in the final order and are payable to the Utah State Department of Health, sent to the Executive Secretary, Utah Air Conservation Committee, within 30 days after receipt of the order.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Brent C. Bradford", is written over the typed name.

Brent C. Bradford  
Executive Secretary  
Utah Air Conservation Committee

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cc: Central Utah District Health Dept.  
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